

**RECEIVED**  
**CENTRAL FAX CENTER**

**OCT 10 2006**

PTO/SB/21 (09-04)

Approved for use through 07/31/2008. OMB 0651-0031

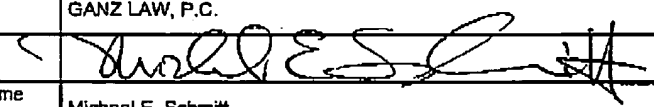
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

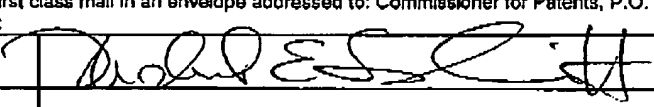
<b>TRANSMITTAL FORM</b>  (to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)	Application Number	10/512,119
	Filing Date	10/21/2004
	First Named Inventor	Matthias Wendt
	Art Unit	2834
	Examiner Name	Rosenau, Derek John
	Attorney Docket Number	DE020103
Total Number of Pages in This Submission		10

ENCLOSURES (Check all that apply)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form <input type="checkbox"/> Fee Attached <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Reply <input type="checkbox"/> After Final <input type="checkbox"/> Affidavits/declaration(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Extension of Time Request <input type="checkbox"/> Express Abandonment Request <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement  <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Reply to Missing Parts/ Incomplete Application <input type="checkbox"/> Reply to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53	<input type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Licensing-related Papers <input type="checkbox"/> Petition <input type="checkbox"/> Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application <input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney, Revocation Change of Correspondence Address <input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer <input type="checkbox"/> Request for Refund <input type="checkbox"/> CD, Number of CD(s) _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Landscape Table on CD	<input type="checkbox"/> After Allowance Communication to TC <input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences <input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to TC (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief) <input type="checkbox"/> Proprietary Information <input type="checkbox"/> Status Letter <input type="checkbox"/> Other Enclosure(s) (please identify below):
Remarks This submission is being sent to the USPTO Central Fax Number at (571) 273-8300		

**SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT**

Firm Name	GANZ LAW, P.C.		
Signature			
Printed name	Michael E. Schmitt		
Date	10/10/2008	Reg. No.	36,921

**CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION/MAILING**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO or deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date shown below:	
Signature	
Typed or printed name	Michael E. Schmitt
Date	10/10/2008

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.5. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.11 and 1.14. This collection is estimated to 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2.

RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

OCT 10 2006

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Wendt et al.

Examiner: Derek John Rosenau

Serial No.: 10/512,119

Art Unit: 2834

Filed: 10/21/2004

Conf. No.: 2393

Attorney Docket No.: DE020103

For: STARTING-PROCESS CONTROLLER  
FOR STARTING A PIEZOMOTOR

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION/MAILING

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE  
IS BEING FACSIMILE TRANSMITTED TO THE USPTO  
AT (571) 273-8300 OR DEPOSITED WITH THE  
UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE WITH  
SUFFICIENT POSTAGE FOR FIRST CLASS MAIL IN  
AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO COMMISSIONER  
FOR PATENTS, P.O. BOX 1450, ALEXANDRIA, VA  
22313-1450 ON THE DATE INDICATED BELOW

  
Michael E. Schmitt

Date of Deposit: 10 October 2006

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED 10 JULY 2006

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of 10 July 2006 (the "Action"), please amend the  
above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2  
of this filing.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this filing.